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SUBMITTAL OF DECLARATION

This application was filed with a Declaration not signed by the Applicant. A fully executed Declaration document [Form PTO SB/01(04-5)] is enclosed herewith.

Please enter this Declaration in the above identified patent application.

Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

Responsive to Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected office mailed August 10, 2007, enclosed herewith is a signed Declaration for the above-identified application which was not available at the time of filing:

Also enclosed is the required copy of the NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS. It is noted that a signed copy of the Declaration submitted herewith was previously submitted in this application as of March 15, 2007, prior to receiving the Notification of Missing Requirements as set forth above. A copy of the submittal with signed Declaration and Certificate of Mailing as mailed March 15, 2007, is attached. To date, that previously submitted signed Declaration has not been matched up with this application.

The Commissioner if hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Account No. 22-0190. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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